A message was received from the Governor, and the Senate went into Executive session.

> STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, Tallahassee, July 9th, 1868.

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following named persons for the offices designated:

Ozias Morgan, to be Surveyor-General.

Horatio Jenkins, ir., to be Adjutant General.

Charles T. Chase, to be Superintendent of Public Instruction. Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, Tallahassee, July 9th, 1868. (\*

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following named persons for the several offices designated, viz.

Thomas J. Boynton, to be Chief Justice Supreme Court.

Ossian B. Hart and Edwin M. Randall, to be Associate Justices Supreme Court.

Homer G. Plantz, to be Judge First Judicial Circuit. Alvah A. Knight, to be Judge Fourth Judicial Circuit, Jesse H. Goss, to be Judge Fifth Judicial Circuit. John W. Price, to be Judge Seventh Judicial Circuit. Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE. Tallahassee, July 9th, 1868. ( =

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following persons for the several offices designated, viz:

Edmund C. Weeks, for County Judge of Madison county. Dennis Eagan, for Clerk of Court of Madison county. Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, Tallahassee, July 9th, 1868.

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following named persons for the several offices designated, viz:

William A. McLean, to be County Judge for Duval county. John J. Holland, to be Sheriff of Duval county.

Charles L. Mather, to be Clerk of Court for Duval county. Samuel N. Williams, to be Assessor for Duval county.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

The following appointments were confirmed by the Senate: Ozias Morgan, to be Surveyor General. Horatio Jenkins, Jr., to be Adjutant General.

Charles T. Chase, to be Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Thomas J. Boynton, to be Chief Justice Supreme Court. Ossian B. Hart and Edwin M. Randall, to be Associate Justices Supreme Court.

Homer G. Plantz, to be Judge First Judicial Circuit. Alva A. Knight, to be Judge Fourth Judicial Circuit.

Jesse H. Goss, to be Judge Fifth Judicial Circuit. John W. Price, to be Judge Seventh Judicial Circuit.

Edmund C. Weeks, to be County Judge of Madison county. Dennis Eagan, to be Clerk of Court of Madison county.

John J. Holland, to be Sheriff of Duval county.

Charles L. Mather, to be Clerk of Court of Duval county. Samuel N. Williams, to be Assessor of Duval county.

The consideration of the appointment of Wm. A. McLean to be Judge of Duval county, was postponed till to-morrow.

On motion, the Executive session was concluded.

On motion of Mr. Pearce, the Committee on Code of Criminal Laws was authorized to employ a suitable number of clerks.

Mr. Goss introduced a bill for an act to transfer suits and proceedings in the late courts of this State, to the courts organized under the present constitution;

Which was read the first time by its title under a suspension of the rules, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Atkins, the Senate adjourned.

## FRIDAY, July 10th, 1868.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 10 A. M.

The President in the Chair. Prayer by the Chaplain.

A quorum present.

The journal was read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Knight, it was ordered that three hundred copies of the Senate journal be printed daily.

The following message was received from the Assembly:

ASSEMBLY HALL, July 9, 1868.

HON. W. H. GLEASON, President of the Senate: Sm-The Assembly has this day passed Senate resolution relative to the United States troops in the State of Florida.

Very respectfully,

WM. Forsyth Bynum, Clerk of the Assembly. Which was read and the accompanying resolution ordered to be enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Bradwell, the Senate went into Executive session on the appointment of Wm. A. McLean to be county Judge of Duval county. The appointment was confirmed.

The doors were opened.

On motion, the Senate took a recess till + P. M.

## FOUR O'CLOCK, P. M.

The Senate resumed its sitting at 4 o'clock.

The President in the Chair.

A quorum present.

Mr. Hunt, chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported back the bill to incorporate the Royal Oceanic Telegraph Company:

Which was read the second time, and ordered to be printed. The following message was received from the Assembly:

House of Assembly, July 10th, 1868.

Hon. WILLIAM H. GLEASON, President of the Senate:

Sin: The Assembly has this day passed Senate joint resolution requesting the Governor to ask for the grant to the State, or for the use thereof, of the United States Arsenal at Chattahoochee. I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant.

William Forsyth Bynum, Clerk of the Assembly.

The following message was received from the Governor, and the Senate went into Executive session:

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE,

Tallahassee, July 10th, 1868.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate the following named persons for the several offices designated, viz:

John C. Gibbs, to be Secretary of State. Robert H. Gamble, to be Comptroller.

James D. Westcott, to be Attorney-General.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
HARRISON REED, Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, TALLAHASSEE, FLA., July 10th, 1868.

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following persons for the offices severally designated, viz:

W. J. Purman, to be Solicitor for First Judicial Circuit.

Ausel Warrock, to be Solicitor for Third Judicial Circuit.

Elenzer K. Foster, Jr., to be Solicitor for Fourth Judicial Circuit.

J. W. Culpepper, to be Solicitor for Fifth Judicial Circuit.

Very respectfully,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE, TALLAHASSEE, FLA., July 10th, 1868.

TO THE SENATE:

I hereby nominate the following persons for the several offices

designated, viz:

George É. Wentworth, to be Sheriff of Escambia county.
William Kirk, to be County Judge of Escambia county.
Rollin A. Stearns, to be Clerk of Court for Escambia county.
John Varnum, to be Assessor of Taxes for Escambia county.
A. B. Putnam, to be Collector of Revenue for Escambia county.
Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

HARRISON REED, Governor.

The following appointments were confirmed:
W. J. Purman, to be Solicitor for First Judicial Circuit.
Ansel Warrock, to be Solicitor for Third Judicial Circuit.
J. W. Culpepper, to be Solicitor for Fifth Judicial Circuit.
George E. Wentworth, to be Sheriff of Escambia county.
William Kirk, to be County Judge for Escambia county.
Rollin A. Stearns, to be Clerk of Court for Escambia county.
John Varnum; to be Assessor of Taxes for Escambia county.
A. B. Putnam to be Collector of Revenue for Escambia county.
The consideration of the following appointments was postponed till to-morrow morning:

John C. Gibbs, to be Secretary of State. Robert H. Gamble, to be Comptroller.

James D. Westcott, Jr., to be Attorney General.

Eleazer K. Foster, to be Solicitor for Fourth Judicial Circuit. On motion, the Executive session was concluded and the doors opened.

On motion, the Senate adjourned.

## SATURDAY, July 11th, 1868.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 10 A. M. The President in the Chair. A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The journal was read and approved.